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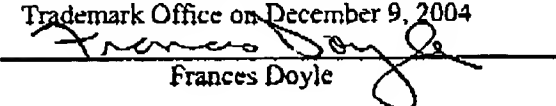
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2004, Applicant responds to the restriction requirement as follows:

In the Restriction Requirement the claims were divided into two groups.

Group I. - Claims 1-55, drawn to hand-of control in a wireless communication system;  
and


Group II. - Claims 56-80, drawn to the function of the node device with notifying unit and the controller.

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Applicants elect Group I, Claims 1-55, for further prosecution on the merits.

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